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Around the Square

Mayor Kinney's "unofficial request" Tuesday to give more emphasis to sweeping the city streets was commendable. We add our enthusiastic "amen" to his words. Sierra Madre's first citizen wryly remarked that the perennial excuse for not sweeping has been that the city sweeper can't reach the steep gutters. This dodge, he intimated, is growing a little old.

A back bill for \$25 from Mrs. Martha Matoian, garbage and tin can contractor, stimulated memories of last Halloween for councilmen Tuesday night. The bill was for an extra collection of tin cans, made necessary because many citizens forgot about the fifth Wednesday in October and put them out for pickup a week too soon. The police chief and city administrator had agreed that it would be "in the best public interest" to make the special collection, so youngsters wouldn't be tempted to "distribute" the cans throughout the city as a Halloween prank.

Nice work, boys. The City Council meeting Tuesday was direct and to the point. It didn't last quite an hour. See, it can be done, can't it?

We hate to add a sour note to the above praise, but wasn't one communication — er, "forgotten" when the agenda was made up? We have it on good authority that Miss Jessie E. Dunning submitted a letter on downtown parking. What happened to it?

Think back, now. Did you lose a purse downtown within the last several weeks? If so, and if you can guess—oops, we mean "state" — the correct amount of money inside, it's yours. The purse is at Garland's 5 and 10.

First \$1003 Raised in ARC Drive

Sierra Madre Red Cross officials this week announced "incomplete returns" in their annual fund-raising campaign, now in its second week.

Col. Charles E. Morrison, drive chairman, reported that \$1003.26 had been collected by Tuesday night. Sierra Madre's quota is \$638.50.

Col. Morrison and Mrs. Florence Peterson, executive secretary of the ARC Chapter, both stated, though, that the campaign is "going very well," considering the weather and the fact that only a few complete reports have been made so far.

Nearly 75 volunteer workers are canvassing Sierra Madre under the leadership of 11 district captains.

'What Is Family Service Agency?'

(Editor's Note: The Community Coordinating Council is trying to ascertain if services of the Family Service Agency of Pasadena are wanted in Sierra Madre. Since it is a matter of general public interest, the NEWS has been asked to more fully explain "What Is Family Service.")

Sound counseling from a trained, sympathetic, professional caseworker is what Family Service offers.

The service operates on the assumption that many, many people have personal and family problems. These problems may concern finances, the illness of father or mother, marital conflicts, desertion, separation, birth and growing up of the children, technological unemployment, or old age.

They are situations encountered in every-day living, some serious, others more or less routine. To the persons involved, of course, all are serious at the moment.

People who seek Family Service may come from all walks of life. Several examples of



CAMPFIRE GIRLS and Bluebirds will celebrate the 42nd birthday of their organization this week. A part of the observance is scheduled for tomorrow, when a fashion show will be presented in the City School cafeteria. Calling attention to the show are these girls, representing the various Campfire and Bluebird units in Sierra Madre. Modeling clothing and uniforms suitable for camping are, first row, left to right: Lynda Crook, Linda Waite; second row: Sharon Gallaway, Cindy Stirton; third row: Shirley Cook, Blythe Gentry and Ernestine McGeary.

Voters to Decide New Library Site

Sierra Madre voters will decide on April 8 whether to permit members of the Library Board to choose the site of a new public library.

Slated for the municipal election ballot as Proposition No. 1, the measure, if passed, would release the board from building on the lot at the northwest corner of Hermosa and Sierra Madre boulevard, a lot donated to the city for a new library several years ago by Nathan Tarr.

If the voters approve this release, the new library would be constructed on the present site, 442 W. Sierra Madre boulevard.

"It's a basic problem of expense," explained W. Webster Vannier, president of the Library Board.

Faced with limited funds (\$42,000 in cash and \$10,000 in bonds), the Library Board members feel that more library can be bought with fewer dollars by using the present site.

In 1946 local voters approved a special tax for the long-awaited new library. That ballot measure stated that the Hermosa-Sierra Madre boulevard lot would be used.

"We now find that the cost of construction on Mr. Tarr's lot would run higher because

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Round Up Ends City Scrap Drive

Kiwanians, and city employees teamed up Saturday and Sunday to make the final round up of scrap metal in Sierra Madre.

In spite of the heavy rain Saturday, President Hugh Warden termed the weekend's work "successful."

Scrap donated by Sierra Madreans during the block-to-block canvass just about equalled the amount previously collected at the lot east of the Woman's Clubhouse.

The metal picked up last weekend was piled at the city water grounds. Mr. Warden said the round up marked the end of the Scrap Metal Drive.

JAMES VERNON HIT BY CAR IN EL MONTE

James M. Vernon, 25, of 785 Skyland Drive, was reported in "good condition" Tuesday after he was struck by a car in El Monte last weekend.

Vernon, recently discharged following service in Japan with the Sierra Madre Heavy Mortar Company, 40th Infantry Division, was released from the El Monte Medical Center Monday and was said to be "up and around again" Tuesday.

Doctors said there were no bones broken, as originally feared, and Vernon was treated for lacerations of the head and contusions of both legs.

Vernon reportedly was pushing his stalled auto when the accident occurred. His companion, Nancy Millie Brady of El Monte, told sheriff's deputies that when she saw headlights approaching she called to Vernon to jump, but he moved too late to avoid being hit by a car driven by Jesus Villagan Garcia, 27, of Glendora.

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REV. ROY GIBBS BECOMES NEW CHURCH PASTOR

The Rev. Roy Reed Gibbs officially became pastor last week of Sierra Madre's First Baptist Church, 49 S. Baldwin avenue.

The Rev. Mr. Gibbs, Mrs. Gibbs and their 2-year-old



REV. ROY R. GIBBS
... Baptist minister

daughter, Carole, plan to take up residency in Sierra Madre shortly.

Born in Nova Scotia, Canada, the Rev. Mr. Gibbs received his academic training at Jordan College of Theology and Missions in Boston and was graduated in 1949. Before then he had been active in young

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Campfire Girls Note 42nd Birthday

Sierra Madre Campfire Girls, Bluebirds, leaders and committee members will celebrate the 42nd Birthday Week March 16 to 22.

The anniversary celebration will open tomorrow, March 14, with a pot-luck supper in the City School cafeteria at 6:30 p.m. Table decorations and the fashion show will carry out the theme, "Summer Camping for Girls."

Welcoming committee for the event will include Mrs. Betty Carver and Mrs. Mona Ogren. Miss Robin Martin, field director, will explain the "Camp Stamp" saving program.

Fashion show narrator will be Mrs. B. J. Burns, and sports clothing suitable for camping will be modeled, through the courtesy of the Marjorie James Shop.

A sale of hand-made crafts will follow the program, with the proceeds earmarked for camping activities. The Campfire Girls and Bluebirds have been working on these crafts for many months, according to Mrs. William Wilcox, publicity director.

March 16 is "Go-to-Church-Sunday," and all girls and their leaders will attend the Congregational Church as a

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WISTARIA GIRLS OF 1952



One of these lovely 'teen-agers will be the 1952 Sierra Madre Wistaria Queen to reign over the annual fete during the blossoming of the famous Sierra Madre Wistaria Vine, largest blossoming plant in the world. They are Suzanne Lloyd, Pat

Hamilton, Janet Marsh, Connie Best and Anita Herscher. All were chosen by a judge panel headed by William Adrian, magazine cover talent scout. The Wistaria festival begins March 14, will last six weeks.

WISTARIA VINE TO OPEN FRIDAY

DEPUTY CITY CLERK NAMED

Mrs. Alice Stoddart was formally appointed deputy city clerk by the City Council Tuesday night. Mrs. Stoddart has been performing secretarial duties at the City Hall for several months.

Underwater Camera Used Inside Well

Pictures were taken last week of Sierra Madre's ailing water well No. 2, and city officials said Tuesday that they showed "very interesting results."

"They showed what we had hoped for," declared R. Merritt Baker, city administrator. "The pictures assured us that there were no serious troubles aside from the section that is broken."

Mr. Baker said pictures were made of the separated casing at the 121-foot, 3-inch depth, at the water level, and below the water level.

Purpose of the picture-taking session was to assure a more accurate knowledge of the well's condition and to aid in drawing up specifications for its repair. Mr. Baker said bids for the work will be opened at a meeting of the City Council Monday, March 17.

A special deep-well camera was used to take the pictures inside the narrow well. The camera, which weighs approximately 300 pounds, was developed by the Claude Laval Company of Fresno.

Clifford Hanson, co-owner of the company, brought his equipment from the northern city Friday. The camera is equipped with a repeating flash attachment and can take up to 400 pictures with one

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FAMOUS GARDENS READY TO LAUNCH 60TH YEAR

Sierra Madre's famed Wistaria Vine is again in bloom, and the Wistaria Gardens at 201 W. Carter avenue will be opened to the public for the 1952 season beginning tomorrow.

It will be the 60th anniversary for the vine which had its start in a gallon tin can and grew to become the world's largest blossoming plant.

The giant Wistaria is expected to be in full bloom by the end of next week, barring rain and cold weather. The Wistaria fete will last approximately six weeks while the vine is in blossom. Again, thousands of persons are expected to visit Sierra Madre to see the vine.

Meanwhile, a panel of judges headed by William Adrian, magazine cover talent scout, named five Wistaria princesses. Next week one of them will be proclaimed the Wistaria queen for 1952.

The five princesses are: Connie Best, 18, 115 N. Canon avenue, Sierra Madre; Janet Marsh, 16, 656 W. Sierra Madre boulevard, Sierra Madre; Pat Hamilton, 16, 170 E. Longden, Arcadia; Anita Herscher, 16, 870 Fallen Leaf road, Santa Anita Oaks, and Suzanne Lloyd, 19, 2890 Magna Vista, Sierra Madre Villa.

Woman's Club To Hear War Correspondent

Bruce Thomas, United Nations war correspondent, will be guest speaker at the Woman's Club dinner next Tuesday, March 18, beginning at 6:30 p.m. at the clubhouse.

Mr. Thomas, known as the "I Was There" lecturer and author, recently completed a round the world tour, during which he interviewed military, business and political leaders

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VETERANS POST AWAITS ST. PATRICK'S DAY DANCE

The Harry L. Embree Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, will stage its annual St. Patrick's Day Dance, Saturday, March 15, 8 p.m., at the Old Adobe, 37 E. Montecito. All veterans, whether members or not, and their guests are invited. The dance is being held so that members, and those

Suicide Here Blamed on Despondency

Apparent despondency concerning her family was blamed Monday, March 10, for the suicide of Mrs. Mildred McBride Wilkin, 51, whose body was found in the garage of her home, 212 Olivera Lane.

Mrs. Wilkin's body was discovered in her car, a garden hose leading from the exhaust pipe through the auto's window. Police said she died of carbon monoxide poisoning.

Alfred D. Masters, 635 E. Orange Grove, who made the discovery and called police, said Mrs. Wilkin was despondent "over matters in general" when she visited at his home Saturday afternoon.

In her house officers found a document, dated March 9 and labeled "My Will," in which Mrs. Wilkin asked that all her belongings be left to her teenage son and daughter, John and Martha, who are living with her estranged husband in Cleveland, Ohio.

Neighbors said Mrs. Wilkin apparently became depressed upon learning that her children would not be able to visit her this summer, as originally planned.

Arrangements are pending at Grant Chapel.

Local P-TA Will Hear Talk on UN

"What Is the United Nations Actually Doing?"

Col. Alan A. Westervelt (USA retired) will answer this question at the next meeting of the Sierra Madre P-TA, to be held next Thursday, March 20, at 7:45 p.m. in the City School auditorium.

Col. Westervelt is vice-president of the Pasadena Branch of the United Nations.

Because the scheduled report of the Pasadena School Survey was not complete for this meeting, Col. Westervelt is fulfilling an engagement he was unable to keep in Sierra Madre last January. His talk will include a question-and-answer period.

Nomination of officers for the Parent-Teacher Association for 1952 will be accepted from the floor, according to Mrs. Martha Coutant, publicity chairman. Mrs. Nathan Jacobs, chairman of the projects committee, will present suggestions on the purchase of equipment.

Hostesses for the evening will be the first grade mothers and teachers.

Mrs. Matoian To Continue City Contract

Mrs. Martha Matoian has changed her mind. She now says she will not cancel her city contract covering the collection and disposal of garbage and tin cans.

R. Merritt Baker, city administrator, quoted Mrs. Matoian as saying that she intends to continue service in Sierra Madre even if she must operate at a loss. Her present contract still has approximately one year to run.

At a meeting of the City Council recently, Mrs. Matoian had indicated that she planned to assign the contract.

City Reappoints Two Planners

Two members of the Sierra Madre Planning Commission were re-appointed Tuesday for four-year terms.

The planners were Mrs. May R. de Wright, the commission's chairman, and Robert H. Ainsworth. Both their present terms expire March 25.

Mrs. Coutant to Seek Re-election as Trustee

An election to fill one seat on the City School Board of Trustees is scheduled for Friday, May 16, Superintendent Charles A. Skutt announced this week.

Mrs. Stanley Coutant, the incumbent, has stated that she will seek re-election. She said she has filed her candidacy papers with the Los Angeles County School Superintendent's office.

So far, no other Sierra Madreans have announced they will run. The legal deadline for filing is April 16, Mr. Skutt explained.

Candidates to be public school trustees must be a registered voter in the School Dis-

trict, must have been a resident of the state one year, of the county 90 days, and of the precinct 54 days before the date of election.

The election in May will be to elect a trustee for a three-year term, according to Mr. Skutt.



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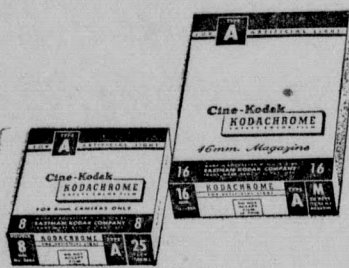
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Police Check 'Strange Noises'

Reports of hearing "strange noises" brought police to Roberts Market, 14 E. Sierra Madre boulevard, late last Thursday night.

Owner Harold Roberts said he thought someone was in the grocery store because of the sounds he heard. A check by Officer R. Fish revealed everything to be in order. The patrolman stood by for a few minutes "just in case."

Lee Shippey Club Forms

A Bi-partisan Lee Shippey Committee for Congress Club was formed March 9 with 42 charter members.

Elected president of the new group was W. Emery Johnston. Gwen Dewey was elected secretary of the club, and Francis Eakman was elected treasurer.

Meetings of the organization will be held the first Monday of each month at the "Brick Oven" Studio of Alfred James Dewey, 28 Windsor Lane.

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March 25—First Degree

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Kiwanis Club Lists Chairmen

Kiwanis Club committee chairmen for 1952 were announced this week by Hugh Warden, president:

The chairmen and committee members follow:

Finance: David Allen; Agriculture and Conservation: Frank Spencer; Attendance and Membership: Art Morse, Harry Lange, Eugene Lunsford; Boys' and Girls' Work, Underprivileged Children: Philip Woodworth, Harold Stein; Bulletin: Charles Hostetter; Education and Fellowship: Laws and Regulations: Bob Green, Chas. Klunk; Fund Drive: Al Burgess; House and Reception: Charles Klunk, Frank Spencer; Interclub Relations: Charles Skutt; Programs and Music: Harry Lange, Bernard Eberle, Milton Valois, Dick Jenkins; Public and Business Affairs: Felix Gibian, Milton Valois, J. Earl Gossard; Ways and Means: Henry Nelson, Phil Mitchell; Public Relations, J. Earl Gossard, Felix Gibian; Support of Churches: Roy Pickett; Pioneer Day: John Conzelman, Milton Valois, Charles Skutt (alternate); Achievement Reports: Knox Hagar, Charles Skutt.

Hadassah Dinner Attended by 100

Last Sunday, March 9, at the Foothill Jewish Community Center, Hadassah held its annual dinner to make an appeal for Hadassah-sponsored medical and youth rehabilitation and educational activities in Israel. Attendance was approximately 100.

Mrs. Jack Beresow, of the Beverly Hills chapter of Hadassah was program chairman and Mrs. Mildred Bernstein showed movies taken during her recent visit to Israel.

Population Here Increases 58.8% Between 1940-50

Between 1940 and 1950, Sierra Madre's population increased 58.8 per cent, the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce reported yesterday.

The 1950 population here was listed as 7,273. In 1940 it was 4,581, the Chamber announced.

Sierra Madre's population gains during the 10-year period, 1930 to 1940, were 29 per cent, according to the research report.

The LA Chamber pointed out that in 1930, this city's population was 3,550.

Local People Visit Gospel Records Firm

Several Bethany Church members last week visited Mr. and Mrs. David Sheriff in Los Angeles who now are associated as full-time workers with Gospel Recordings Inc.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheriff, residents of Sierra Madre, have long been members of Bethany Church.

Gospel Recordings Inc. is a Christian organization created by Miss Joy Ridderhof, a missionary who was forced to leave her work in Honduras because of broken health.

It was Miss Ridderhof's dream to make Christian teachings available to Spanish people in their own language. Her first venture was sending records to Latin America, where they were called "Buenas Nuevas" or good news. They were played on inexpensive phonographs, called PMs or "portable missionaries." Natives called them "the boxes that speak our language."

Today, 300 languages are recorded, and more than 230,000 records have been processed at the recording studio at 124 Witmer street, Los Angeles.

These records are sent without charge throughout the world and heard by literally millions.

LOCAL WOMEN HELP PLAN YWCA FASHION SHOW

Marybeth Johnson and Dorothy Smith, both of Sierra Madre, were members of a committee of the YWCA Business, Professional and Industrial Girls Club which sponsored a Career Girls' Fashion Show Tuesday, March 11, at the YWCA building on North Marengo, Pasadena.

It was a benefit event for the YWCA world fellowship program, to which the club has made a generous pledge, according to Mrs. Ernest B. Walberg, young adult group work department chairman. The show featured spring clothing suitable for the employed girl both during and after working hours.

MANY AWARDS FEATURE SCOUT COURT OF HONOR

Sierra Madre's first Boy Scout Court of Honor of the year was conducted last week at the City School auditorium.

The evening featured the presentation of star awards to five Scouts from Troop 5. John Woods made the presentations.

A breakdown of the advancement awards to Sierra Madre Scouts follows:

Troop 1 Sierra Madre, Sierra Madre Congregational Church, Sponsor; Lewis G. McClelland, Scoutmaster.

Kenny Smith, First Class
Mike Dewey, First Class
Joel Butler, Second Class
Ronald Hurwit, First Class
Marcus Woodward, Pigeon

Raising
Daniel Armstrong, Second Class

Bruce Brunstad, Second Class
Thomas Boughman, Second Class

Robert Smith, Second Class

Troop 2 Sierra Madre, Holy Name Society of St. Rita's Parish, Sponsor; R. T. Van Fleet, Scoutmaster.

Jimmy Glynn, First Class
Stender Sweeney, First Class
Michael Gingrich, Second Class

Eddie Civerola, Second Class
Richard Paulus, Second Class
Phillip Hayes, Second Class
Eugene Hopp, Second Class
Kit Robinson, Second Class
Michael Caron, Second Class

Troop 3 Sierra Madre, Congregational Church, Sponsor; George J. Black, Scoutmaster.

Roger Berkshire, Second Class
Gary Cass, Second Class
Jerry Humphrey, Second Class
Phil Jacobs, Second Class
Charles Metzger, Second Class
Cecil Touchon, Second Class
Charles Raddon, Reading
Dennis Wilson, Home Repairs
Lee Westhafer, Printing
Denis Ascher, Art
Denny Smith, Carpentry
Robert Skausen, Photography
Robert Ohs, First Aid
Robert Nelson, Art
Charles Ascher, Art
Richard Drury, Swimming
Richard Crooks, First Class
Robert Middlebrook, Camping, Hiking, First Aid
Jim Schaefer, Photography, Printing

Troop 4 Sierra Madre, Trinity Presbyterian Church of Pasadena, Sponsor; G. Kenneth Lefler, Scoutmaster.

Richard D. Hobson, First Class
Thomas Archibald, Second Class

Bobby Paul, Second Class
Danny Morris, Second Class
William Collins, Second Class

Troop 5 Sierra Madre, Bethany Church, Sponsor; William Spargur, Scoutmaster.

No awards.

Post 108 Sierra Madre, Kiwanis Club of Sierra Madre, Sponsor; Harry G. Caskey, Leader.

David Veiga, Navigation
George Mackanic, Citizenship in the Home, Leathercraft, Citizenship in the Nation

David Tarr, Leathercraft, Citizenship in the Nation, Citizenship in the Home

Richard Wright, Rocks and Minerals

Ship 1 Sierra Madre, Lions Club of Sierra Madre, Sponsor; F. Richard Walters, Leader.

Jim Cook, First Aid, Swimming, Citizenship in the Nation

George Freeman, Cooking, Hiking, Safety

BRONZE AWARD, David Veiga, Post 108 Sierra Madre

Troop 5 Sierra Madre, Beth-

any Church, Sponsor; Bill Spurgur, Scoutmaster.

Bill Bolling, Star
Bill Corneth, Star
Kent Ellerbrock, Star
Bob Richter, Star
Cavin Morgan, Star
Mike Forster, First Class
Robert Rhodes, First Class
John Bowne, Second Class
William Harris, Second Class
Gerry Leer, Second Class
Sam McDonald, Second Class
Ed Ower, Second Class
Bill Corneth, Citizenship in the Home

Kent Ellerbrock, Citizenship in the Home, Sculpture, Cooking

Bob Richter, Citizenship in the Home

Cavin Morgan, Citizenship in the Home, Cooking

Bill Bolling, Citizenship in the Home, Cooking

John Bowne, Home Repair, Music

David Veiga of Explorer Post 108 was presented the bronze award to make it the first time this award has been made in Sierra Madre's Scout District.

SQUARE DANCE SERIES BEGINS

A new series of square dance classes starts this week in the basement cafeteria of the Monrovia-Duarte High School, under the joint sponsorship of the Adult Education Division and the Monrovia Recreation Department.

Caller-instructor Doc Alumbaugh said a beginners' class will meet at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 18; an intermediate class is slated for Thursdays, 7:30 p.m., and an advanced course will convene on Wednesday, March 19, also at 7:30. All three levels of instruction are for 10 weekly sessions.

(Adv.)

Man Emulates Spider

Something new is happening every day in our fair city. Now there is a man who makes like a spider. Working so fast that one almost thinks he has six hands, this party, Victor Keisel, actually weaves a webbing . . . precision perfect—like the spider's.

Weaver V. Keisel has been quoted as saying that his webbing literally holds up the seat of society — a natural statement since said webbing goes on the bottom of chairs and sofas. It might be mentioned here that Mr. Keisel's use of webbing is a good indication of the quality craftsmanship practiced in his business, The Drapery Shop.

In regard to Mr. Keisel's fine upholstery work on chair and sofa seats he claims as follows: "Our bottoms are tops." Our phone is CU. 5-1255. It's an ad.

PLAYHOUSE HIT HELD OVER

Final curtain of "Nothing But the Truth," held over comedy hit at the Pasadena Playhouse, is now scheduled for Sunday evening, March 16. James Montgomery's play features John Baer in the role originally created by Willie Collier.

Pacific Coast premiere of Sam Spewack's "The Golden State," has been re-set for March 20, because of the hold over.

Mrs. Russell Home after Stay In Hospital

Mrs. Jessie Ward Russell, owner of the Ward Nursery and Florist, 192 N. Mountain Trail, was released from St. Luke Hospital last Thursday after a stay of three days, during which she underwent surgery.

Mrs. Russell was planning to return today to her home, 109 E. Grandview, after a week of convalescing at the home of her sister, Mrs. Murdo McIvor, of 520 Ramona. She expects to go back to work again next week.

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Heasley Has Bad Day, Hits 'Booby Trap'

Police Officer J. C. Heasley had his troubles last week, trying to track down two youngsters suspected of vandalism at the home of Miss Minnie Davis, 150 W. Grandview.

Patrolman Heasley went to Miss Davis' house when she complained that juveniles were "making a lot of noise and tearing up plants" in her yard.

Mr. Heasley's account of the episode, in unusually descriptive terminology for police reports, follows:

"As I approached the yard I heard mysterious noises in the brush. I strolled stealthily through the brush to see small boys near the tumbledown shack in the west yard. As I drew nearer, one eagle-eyed scout saw me and the race was on.

"South toward the tall fence they ran, his nibs in the rear. A booby trap in the shape of a very light black wire stretched across the ground threw the undersigned into the thick of barbed wire and chicken manure.

"The boys raced on, but the Old Boy arose in time to beat them to the fence..."

GIFT DELUGE GREETS CLERK

A pile of presents on her desk greeted City Clerk L. Marie Warfel as she arrived at work Friday morning.

The gifts, including a lapel brooch and corsage of roses, were in honor of Mrs. Warfel's birthday. They were presented by city department heads and employees.

At first the youngsters insisted they were only gathering eggs, with the permission of Miss Davis. The woman confirmed this, but said the permission was not given for that particular day.

Mr. Heasley later discovered that both the gas and electric meters had been shattered with rocks, with a resulting leakage of gas.

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Korsmeier Serves As Acting Mayor

Councilman Henry F. Korsmeier served as acting mayor last week in the absence of Mayor William A. Kinney.

Fellow councilmen elected Mr. Korsmeier to serve as chairman for the adjourned council meeting.

Mr. Kinney was in the Bay Area last week, reportedly "looking over" San Leandro where he expects to be transferred by his business firm this summer.



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CENTER OFFERS YEAR'S STUDY IN JERUSALEM

A year's study at the Hebrew University, Jerusalem, is offered by the Charles Brown Fellowship Committee of the Los Angeles Jewish Community Council.

Max Firestein, committee chairman, said candidates are invited to apply before the April 1 deadline. The winning candidate will receive an all-expense fellowship, including transportation, tuition and maintenance for a year's graduate at the university. Candidates must be graduates of a four-year college.

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MARCH MEANS MANY FLORAL SPECTACLES

At a time when eastern landscapes are white with snow, Southern California bursts out in March with mass flowering spectacles, the All-Year Club reported today.

More than \$1,000,000 worth of blossoms will be shown at the California International Flower Show at Hollywood Park March 22 to 30. There will be tulips from Holland, air imports from Hawaii, azaleas, orchids and roses.

The club also noted Sierra Madre's famed Wisteria Festival, starting around March 15, and the San Diego County Orchid Show at La Jolla Beach and Tennis Club March 29-30.

(Adv.)

WHAT'S NEW

March is an unpredictable month, and this is a most unusual year, but we are ready for anything!

For cool days now and for summer evenings later, we have the perfect answer: pure wool, light weight knit suits. They are two piece, simple, smart and beautifully made. In pale green, white or navy, they are the prettiest machine knits we have ever seen for \$19.95.

Koret, one of the finest California houses, is outdoing itself this year. Have you seen their denim suits and play clothes? Not so long ago denim was strictly for dude ranches, but this year the top designers have made it an urban, round-the-clock fabric, ideal for California living. The Koret brown denim suit for street wear, and the pink denim Mandarin coat for tossing over summer prints are two examples of good, practical design, at moderate cost, \$11.95 and \$8.95.

Now Koret sends us something really different: a four piece play set in fine bright red or black broadcloth; the skirt, blouse, pedal pushers and boned, strapless bodice are trimmed in tiny white buttons. These pieces are \$5.95 each. A particularly lovely sun dress embroidered in white at \$17.95 matches the set.

Still another Koret is the smart, washable tattersall two-piece. Worn with a dark blouse, this slim skirt and jerkin made a very handsome suit for about \$15 for the pair.

At last the house dresses have arrived, in all shapes and sizes. There are five pretty styles in polka dots, checks, stripes and floral prints, so reasonable priced from \$2.98. In the same batch we find metallic cloth brunch coats, cheery as the sun in the morning, in sizes right up to 24½, at \$14.29.

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"Eternally Yours," one of the sound movies, tells the history and development of wrought iron. The second film is entitled "Winter Wonderland."

As for the present building, one of the oldest libraries in Los Angeles County, Mr. Vanier said it could be used for other library purposes, such as storage or children's classes.

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MISSION AID MEETS TODAY

The Women's Mission Aid of Faith Lutheran Church will meet at 12:30 p.m. today, Mar. 13, at the Woman's Clubhouse, 270 W. Sierra Madre boulevard.

Guest speaker will be Mrs. A. Holmberg of Southgate, who is president of the Lutheran Women's Missionary League. Mrs. Holmberg will describe activities of the league.

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people's work and evangelism in several New England and Canadian churches.

From 1949 to '51, he served at two churches in New Hampshire, resigning in July of 1951 to come to California for further study.

Mrs. Gibbs, the former Estelle Anderson of Lowell, Mass., is a graduate of the New England Baptist Hospital in Roxbury, Mass., and is on the nursing staff of the Huntington Memorial Hospital in Pasadena.

Frank Butler, Resident 31 Years, Dies

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday afternoon at Grant Chapel for Frank Bordeaux Butler, a resident of Sierra Madre 31 years, who died Saturday evening, March 8, ending a lengthy illness.

Mr. Butler was making his home at 55 W. Mira Monte, the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Charlotte B. Ware.

Born in Penyan, New York, Mr. Butler was 68 years of age. He was a retired glass decorator and a member of Bethany Church. He had lived in California 33 years.

Mr. Butler was the widower of the late Christine K. Butler, who died last October.

Besides his daughter, Mr. Butler is survived by a son, Joe Jackson Butler, a mail carrier in Sierra Madre; a sister,

'Political Plot' Charged in 21st Caucus

"Lee Shippey was the victim of a political plot," declared Dan W. Green, newspaper editor and member of a committee backing the Sierra Madre, author and lecturer, who has lived for many years in the Orient and who is said to have an intimate knowledge of the faiths and peoples she will discuss.

The caucus was "stacked," Mr. Green said, to assure Assemblyman Burkhalter of winning the organization's support in his candidacy for Congress from the 21st District. Mr. Burkhalter did go on to win the support by a 47-26 vote.

Mr. Green said Mr. Burkhalter, with Floyd Jolley, a candidate to succeed Burkhalter in the 42nd District Assembly post, appointed all 28 delegates to the caucus from that district.

This was possible, Mr. Green explained, because the 42nd District had been reapportioned and Mr. Burkhalter, as assemblyman, was given power to name the delegates.

Mr. Green charged that Mr. Burkhalter also tried to "jam" eight extra delegates into the caucus, beyond the 28 from the 42nd District. They were excluded from voting on the final endorsement, he said, but managed to take part in several voice votes prior to it.

The La Canadian stated that the "political plot" against Mr. Shippey was "inspired by professional politicians against whom his campaign is directed."

"I believe this 'stacked caucus' will help Mr. Shippey because it shows the undemocratic, non-representative type of politics played by the professionals," Mr. Green said.

Beulah Lott of Lynwood; and seven grandchildren.

The Rev. Don B. Rood officiated at the services Tuesday. Interment was at Live Oak Cemetery, beside his wife.

SERIES OF LENTEN CLASSES STARTS FRIDAY MORNING

A Lenten class on the great religions of the world, their points of unity and points of difference, their potential for world peace—will be conducted at the Congregational Church during six consecutive Friday mornings, March 14 to April 18.

The class, which meets at 10 a.m. in the Ladies' Parlor of the church, will be under the direction of Mrs. Ruth Cranston, author and lecturer, who has lived for many years in the Orient and who is said to have an intimate knowledge of the faiths and peoples she will discuss.

Mrs. Cranston is author of the book, "World Faith," published by Harpers, and she recently conducted a 10 weeks' World Faiths Round Table at Town Hall in New York.

"The subject is of particular significance just at this moment when our relations with Asia and the promotion of better understanding with all the

Rites Held For William Ellerbrock

Funeral services were held at Grant Chapel March 6 for William M. A. Ellerbrock, 663 Brookside Lane, who died suddenly Monday, March 3.

Mr. Ellerbrock, 82, had been a resident of Sierra Madre for two years. He came from Germany to the United States three years ago. He was a member of the German-speaking fraternity, Schlaraffia Las Angeles.

Mr. Ellerbrock is survived by two sons, Lee E. Ellerbrock, with whom he made his home, and Alex E. Ellerbrock of Hamburg, Germany; a sister, Mrs. Elise Maiwald of Ingleside, Ill.; three grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

The Rev. Don Rood officiated at the services last week. Private committal was at Pasadena Mausoleum.

(Pol. Adv.)

LET'S GET ON LEE'S SIDE

By EMERY JOHNSTON



LEE SHIPPEY

Last week Gwen Dewey told of the Shippey-for-Congress campaign. Maybe you don't realize it, but the eyes of California are on us. Everyone is wondering if the Shippey campaign banning big expenses and big contributions can succeed. Professional politicians say it can't—and weep at such efforts to dry up the springs from which thousand-dollar contributions flow.

But the people love it. Requests for house meetings and town meetings are pouring in. People who never before wondered what billboards and such costly efforts cost, nor who paid for them, nor why, are asking questions. People by thousands are signing the Declaration of Independence From Graft. Wherever people learn that often from five to ten times the salary of an office is spent to elect a man to it, they wonder who puts up the money, and why. Thousands of people believe that an idea born in Sierra Madre may sweep all California—perhaps all America.

We all feel that no candidate should accept sums large enough to put him under obligation. But it's so easy to get big money from the big boys who want to buy candidates, so hard to get anything from the rest of us. Devious word has come to Shippey that he can get \$10,000 from one source "if his attitude is right." Shippey wouldn't accept one-twentieth that much from any source. But his Committee would be proud and happy to accept 50-cent contributions from 1000 Sierra Madreans. That would enable the committee to put advertisements in all the district newspapers, "paid for by the people who know him best and believe in him."

If clean government means more to you than 50 cents—or a dollar or even \$5—let's get behind this man who is working for laws forbidding campaign contributions which buy men in advance. Help the man who won't accept a dime from the big boys. Address Shippey for Congress, Box 427, Sierra Madre.



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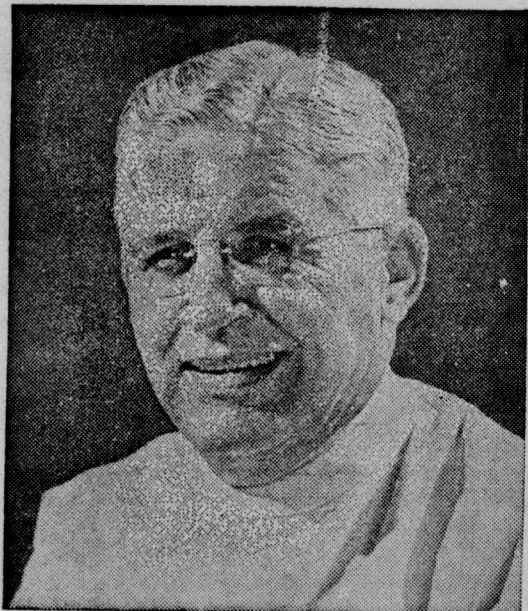
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GROUP HONORS MRS. HARRIS

Mrs. M. H. Harris, 3885 Canfield Road, Pasadena, member of the Sierra Madre Woman's Club for the past several years, was honored by the Philanthropy Section Sewing Group, which met last Monday, March 10, at the home of Mrs. J. Earl Gossard, 625 Mariposa.

Mrs. Harris is leaving shortly for a two-month tour of Japan, Manila and Hong Kong.

ARTIST EXHIBITS

John Stanley, 284 Vista Circle Drive, is one of the artists exhibiting his work during March in the Pasadena Artists' Room at the Pasadena Art Institute.

DON BENITO P-TA PLANS FIRST EVENT

The newly organized Don Benito P-TA will hold its first social event, a pot luck dinner, tomorrow evening, Friday, March 14, 6:30 p.m., in the Eugene Field School cafeteria. The purpose of the dinner is for parents and children, members, prospective members and their friends to become acquainted, and also to raise funds for the association, and for the support of the boys' and girls' clubs.

Children in each of the six grades at the Don Benito School will bring different casseroles. Magician Eddie Silverman will entertain.

The chairman is Mrs. James Glorvig. Assisting Mrs. Glorvig are Mrs. Martin Hybertsen, Mrs. Wayne Blackman, Mrs. Richard Lynch and Mrs. Le Roy Anderson.

MARGARET HENZE PASSES CHOCOLATES TO U.C. SISTERS

Miss Margaret Ann Henze, daughter of Mrs. Carl Henze, 2391 N. Holliston street, Altadena, and the late Mr. Henze, is engaged to Sherwin Murry, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Murry of Yuba City, Calif.

Miss Henze attended Wilson Jr. High and Pasadena City College, and is a senior at the University of California at Berkeley. She is a member of Pi Beta Phi. The couple's engagement was announced at the Pi Beta Phi house by the traditional passing of chocolates. The bride-to-be's mother is the proprietor of Peg's restaurant, 24 W. Sierra Madre boulevard.

Mr. Murry is stationed at the aviation school, Pensacola, Fla. The couple plans to be married when Mr. Murry receives his commission. Mr. Murry attended the University of California at Berkeley and is affiliated with Delta Upsilon.

VOWS UNITE LOCAL COUPLE IN MARRIAGE

At home this week at 330 E. Grandview are Mr. and Mrs. Max E. Straus, who were married at 3 p.m. Sunday, March 9, at the Congregational Church.

The Rev. Carl Smith officiated at the ceremony that saw Mr. Straus exchange vows with the former Leona J. Persohn.

Attendants were Mrs. Dorothea E. Wight, wearing a blue suit and accessories, and Samuel C. Straus, father of the groom. The bride wore a pink suit with a white floral hat. Both she and Mrs. Wight carried old fashioned nosegays.

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Women's Division Plans Luncheon

The monthly luncheon next Tuesday, March 18, 12:30 p.m., of the Women's Division of the Foothill Jewish Community Center, will be in observance of the Passover.

Hostesses will be Mrs. Teresa Rubins, Mrs. Laura Yamer and Mrs. Lillian Siegel. Mrs. Hersh Swiryn will deliver a monologue, "The Cup of Elijah."

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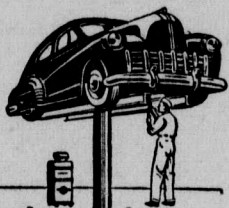
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Mr. and Mrs. Tomassacci have one other child, 1½-year-old Debbie.

LONDONERS VISIT

Mrs. Gordon Brooks, W. Mariposa avenue, had as her guests last weekend, Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Slemming of London, Eng.

ENDS TRIP EAST

Mrs. H. D. Haas, 185 S. Lima, recently returned from a three-month business trip to Chicago.

Legal Notice

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

BEFORE THE

PLANNING COMMISSION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to the provisions of Ordinance No. 391 of the City of Sierra Madre, as amended, that the Planning Commission of the City of Sierra Madre has fixed Thursday, March 27, 1952, at the hour of 8:00 o'clock P. M. in the Council Chamber in the City Hall, 55 West Sierra Madre Boulevard, Sierra Madre, California, as the time and place for holding a public hearing on the question of a proposed variance of a 25 foot front set-back and permission to construct a small residence, located in the City of Sierra Madre, California, and more particularly described as Lot 8, Block Z in N. H. Hosmer Subdivision of Lot 5 of the Sierra Madre Tract in said city. The application for said variance is based upon the grounds that there are special circumstances attached to said property which generally do not apply to other properties in the same district and vicinity, that the granting of a variance as aforesaid will not result in a material damage or prejudice to other property nor be detrimental to the public welfare or injurious to persons in the vicinity thereof, in that the proposed variance, if granted, would be subject to such conditions as the Planning Commission may deem necessary to assure that the spirit and purpose of said Ordinance No. 391 will be observed, public welfare and safety secured and substantial justice done to all parties.

DATED: March 7, 1952
By Order of the Planning Commission
L. W. Lisie, Secretary
3-13-52

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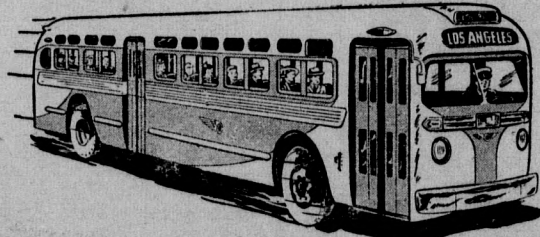
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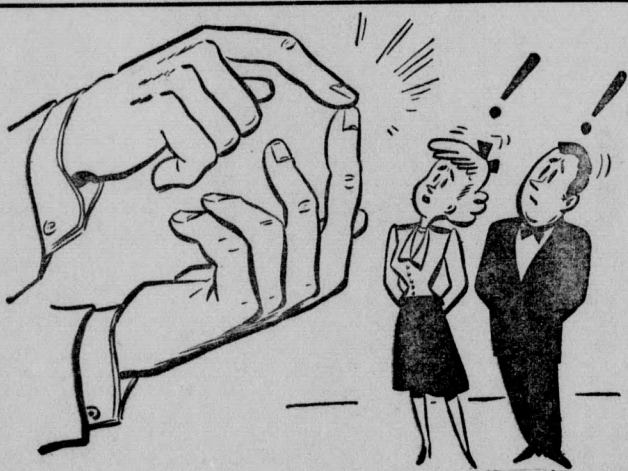
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Community Calendar

This calendar of events is compiled by the Sierra Madre Community Coordinating Council.

March 13: Lions, 7:15 p.m. Civic Club, 7:30 p.m. American Legion Auxiliary, 8 p.m.

March 14: Campfire Birthday Dinner, 6 p.m. Teenage Drop In, 7 p.m. Santa Anita Gun Club, 7:30 p.m. Friendly Indians, 8 p.m.

March 15: Nursery School Auxiliary Square Dance, 8:15 p.m.

March 17: Order of Eastern Star, 8 p.m.

March 18: Woman's Club, 6:30 p.m. Masonic Lodge, 7:30 p.m. Board of Education, 8 p.m. Nursery School Association, 8 p.m.

March 20: Children's Hospital Guild, 9:30 a.m. Lions Club, 7:15 p.m. P-TA, 7:45 p.m.

March 21: Teenage Drop In, 7 to 10 p.m. Santa Anita Gun Club, 7:30 p.m.

March 25: Masonic Lodge, 7:30 p.m. City Council 8 p.m. March 26: Woman's Club, 2 p.m. Toastmasters, 6:30 p.m. VFW Post, 8 p.m.

March 27: WCTU, 2 p.m. Lions Club, 7:15 p.m. Civic Club, 8 p.m. Planning Commission, 8 p.m. American Legion Auxiliary, 8 p.m.

March 28: Santa Anita Gun Club, 7:30 p.m. Friendly Indians-YMCA, 8 p.m. Teenage Drop-In, 7 to 10 p.m.

April 1: Masonic Lodge, 7:30 p.m. Coordinating Council, 8 p.m.

April 2: Bethany Missionary Society, 10:30 a.m. Nursery School Auxiliary, 8 p.m.

April 3: Lions, 7:15 p.m. April 4: Teenage Drop-In, 7 to 10 p.m. Santa Anita Gun Club, 7:30 p.m.

Call Mrs. Andrew Steiner, CUster 5-5976.

USCG SEEKING COLLEGE GRADS

College graduates are again needed for officer training in the US Coast Guard Reserve, officials at the Coast Guard's Long Beach offices announced today.

Men selected are enlisted as seaman recruits (officer candidate) and sent to the Coast Guard Academy at New London, Conn., for 16 weeks' training. Upon satisfactory completion they are appointed ensigns in the USCGR and assigned to extended active duty. Candidates must hold baccalaureate degrees from accredited colleges and be between 21 and 26 years of age.

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FIRE FLAMES

It must be somewhat boring for those who read this column regularly to be reminded time after time that fire is dangerous. Of course you know it is. All that you read here is not originated by the writer, just part of it. Some things are worth quoting, particularly those which pertain to fire prevention.

I have read that the average fire loss of the nation for one year would supply a formidable task force of two aircraft carriers, three heavy cruisers, four light cruisers, ten destroyers, one submarine, ninety dive bombers and one hundred fighter planes.

I can't think which is the worst, war or fire, but nevertheless, we may not have any control over the warlords, but we can at least do much to prevent fire.

This column is nuts on the subject of fire prevention. After all "we are punished by our sins and not for our sins."

More persons were burned to death during the first year after this nation's entrance into the present war than were killed in all branches in the armed forces during the same period of time.

Did you know that, whether the fire service is by volunteer effort on the part of citizens or is paid for with tax money, the expense must come from owners of property and occupants of buildings? It's a fact.

To keep a group of men interested in attending fire drills and fire meetings is not as simple as it may appear to the unconcerned. It may not concern you as long as everything is going along fine. It would concern your apathy if suddenly the men now doing the fire department work should suddenly lose interest.

To the fellows, the work has been much fun and the work, hard work. The thrill of fighting fire soon wears off after a certain length of time of genuine hard work and loss of sleep. If we were to have fire regularly night after night or even each week, the novelty of being a volunteer fire fighter might become boring.

That alone is reason enough for us to do our utmost to keep the fires down. To do this it is entirely up to cooperation we have with the residents. We are not the best fire fighters in the world, nor the worst. There is one thing certain, we

MRS. MAC CASON ADDED TO LIST OF REGISTRARS

The name of Mrs. Mac Cason, of Sierra Madre recently added to the list of deputy registrar of voters in Sierra Madre.

Benjamin S. Hite, county registrar, said other registrars in Sierra Madre include Mrs. Ruth H. Custer, 68 W. Mira Monte; Mrs. Hazel L. Woodward, 99 Suffolk; Mrs. Marjorie V. Rizzo, 161 N. Hermosa; and the City Hall, 55 W. Sierra Madre boulevard.

Mr. Hite reminded Sierra Madreans that the deadline for voters to register in order to vote in the June 3rd Presidential and Direct Primary Election is April 10.

Any voter who expects to be absent from his election precinct on election day, or who will be unable to get to his polls because of physical disability, may make written application for an absent voter's ballot. The application must be signed by the applicant and must be received by the county registrar between May 14 and May 29.

Area Jeep Jockies Await Cavalcade

Jeep jockies from all over Southern California will once again travel the same route blazed by Juan Bautista De Anza in 1744 when they take part in the fourth annual De Anza Jeep Cavalcade from Hemet to Borrego Springs April 5 and 6.

The Hemet and Borrego Springs Chambers of Commerce stage the rugged cavalcade each year to advertise the need of a new highway between Yuma and Los Angeles over the historic De Anza trail. Last year more than 300 four-wheel-drive vehicles were driven through the roadless wilderness. The excursion will get underway at 9:30 a.m. April 5, departing from the Hemet Fairgrounds.

will be in there pitching.

"It's better to keep in trim and not fight fire than to be out of condition and get licked by smoke and flame. (Original) Ahem.

Our lovable old-timer and former secretary, Joe Swanson, was forcibly nominated and elected treasurer at the recent election. He insisted that he has much to do and wished to resign. He said he just wanted to stay long enough to have another record: "to have acted as secretary the longest and as treasurer the shortest length of time."

He resigned in favor of Joe Grippi, who was named treasurer for the coming year. Who will act as custodian of the Cuss Can?

SMITH TELLS IMPRESSIONS OF BATTLE

Master Sgt. Ernest R. Smith of Sierra Madre recently penned his impressions of battle for his wife, Dorothy.

Sgt. Smith, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Julian Lalone, wrote these observations while at the front battle lines in Korea. He is serving with the 40th Infantry Division. His impressions follow:

"Artillery crash. Nerves that lash, at the hollow shell . . . Of a man away from home. Dark, silent nights . . . bright, loud fire fights . . . that churn the heart to foam. Barbed wire and tin cans, that rattle, trip wires for flares . . . Prepare for battle . . . Too much oil makes rifles freeze . . . Grenades, don't forget to pull the pin . . . Steep Korean hills, even the very young wheeze. Bangor? Austin? Seattle? Eighteen years? Prepare for battle."

Dickens Fellowship To Meet March 20

Dickens Fellowship will meet next Thursday, March 20, at the home of Miss Martha Pritchard, 121 E. Alegria. The meeting gets under way at 1:45 p.m.

Miss Pritchard and Mrs. N. B. Hutton are co-hostesses. Readers will be Mrs. N. W. Tarr and Mrs. Margaret Porterfield.

Legal Notice

CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS FICTITIOUS FIRM NAME

THE UNDERSIGNED do hereby certify that they are conducting a Women's Ready-to-Wear and accessories business at Suite 209, Loews State Bldg., 707 So. Broadway, Los Angeles, California, under the fictitious firm name of TALL TOGS OF CALIFORNIA and that said firm is composed of the following persons, whose names and addresses are as follows, to-wit:

Edith B. Christensen, 465 Manzanita Avenue, Sierra Madre, Calif.

Maribel Webb, 540 So. Kenmore Avenue, Los Angeles, Calif.

Witness our hand this 12th day of February, 1952

Edith B. Christensen
Maribel Webb
State of California, County of Los Angeles—ss.

On this 12th day of February, A.D. 1952, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared

Edith B. Christensen
Maribel Webb
known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged that they executed the same.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

MARION G. KELLETT
Notary Public in and for said County and State.
My commission expires May 16, 1954.
Pub. 2-21-28; 3-6-13

CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS FICTITIOUS FIRM NAME

The Undersigned does hereby certify that he is conducting a Music Library Rental business at 412-418 S. Robertson Blvd., City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, State of California, under the fictitious firm name of ZAHLER MUSIC LIBRARY and that said firm is composed of the following persons, whose names and addresses are as follows, to-wit:

Rose Zahler, 247 Santa Anita Court, Sierra Madre, Calif.

Witness my hand this 1st day of February, 1952.

ROSE ZAHLER
State of California)
County of Los Angeles)ss.

On this first day of February, A.D. 1952, before me, D. H. Allen, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, residing therein duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Rose ZAHLER, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that she executed the same.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year in this certificate first above written.

D. H. ALLEN
Notary Public in and for said County and State.
My commission expires May 2, 1952.
(SEAL)
Pub. 2-28; 3-6, 13, 20.

Paul Johnsons Leave Town

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Johnson, 720 Skyland Drive, left Sierra Madre Tuesday, March 11.

The first leg of their journey takes them to Florida for a visit of several weeks with Mr. Johnson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul B. Johnson, and on April 15, the Johnsons will report in Philadelphia for an overseas assignment with the American Friends Service Committee.

Their assignment, of three year duration, will take them to the Middle East where they will help to re-settle Arab refugees.

Mr. Johnson, former executive secretary for the American Friends Service Committee in Pasadena, recently returned from a five-month stay in the Middle East, and both he and Mrs. Johnson were there during 1950.

The Johnsons, who have made their home in Sierra Madre for the past five years, were entertained at dinner March 6, by Mr. and Mrs. James Malone, 258 E. Sierra Madre boulevard, and at dinner on Sunday, March 9, by Mrs. Marjorie Barter, 675 Orange Drive.

Legal Notice

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The City of Sierra Madre will receive sealed bids on the following equipment and repair work; said bids to be opened at 7:30 o'clock P. M. on March 17, 1952.

Item A. Repair to the well casing and such other repairs as may be required to restore the City Water Department No. 2 Well in good repair and working order.

Item B. Repair on the starter on No. 1 Well including the delivery and installation of 1 Square D Pumping Panel, class 8940, Type KAZ-17; also delivery and installation of 235 feet, more or less, of No. 4/0 wire from a weather head on a nearby transmission line pole to the starter.

The contractor must conform to the requirement of Sec. 1773 of the Labor Code which provides for the payment of general prevailing wage rates for doing this work; which includes, but is not limited to the following wage classification per diem rates for an 8 hour day—

Item A
Driller \$14.40
Helper 12.40
Welder 12.40
Mechanic 14.00

Item B
Electrician \$22.00
Electrician Helper 16.00

When received and ordered by the City, overtime work will be done and paid for by the City as follows: Item A—time and one half, for time in excess of eight (8) hours per day and double time for work done on Sundays or holidays. Item B—double time for time in excess of eight (8) hours and for work done on Sundays or holidays.

Complete details and specifications are on file and copies may be obtained at the office of the City Clerk in the City Hall.

Contractors may bid on either or both Items A and/or B. The City of Sierra Madre reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

LORRAINE M. WARFEL
City Clerk
Pub. 3-6-13

NOMINEES FOR PUBLIC OFFICE

Notice is hereby given that the following persons have been nominated for the offices hereinafter mentioned to be filled and the following measures to be voted on at the general municipal election to be held in the City of Sierra Madre, California on Tuesday, the 8th day of April, 1952.

Office of City Clerk
L. Marie Warfel
Incumbent

Office of City Treasurer
Carlton J. Pegler
Incumbent

City Councilman—two members
Charles H. James
Incumbent
Henry F. Kozsmeier
Incumbent

PROPOSITION 1: Shall the requirement of the proposition approved and adopted at the municipal election held April 9, 1946, authorizing the levy of a special tax for the construction of a public library which provided that the fund thus raised be used only for construction of a library at the northwest corner of Sierra Madre Boulevard and Hermosa Avenue be eliminated and the Sierra Madre Library Board be authorized in its discretion to employ such fund for either the construction of a new library at the northwest corner of Sierra Madre Boulevard and Hermosa Avenue, or the construction or re-construction of library facilities at the present library site, 442 West Sierra Madre Boulevard, Sierra Madre, California?

PROPOSITION 2: Shall the salary of the City Treasurer of the City of Sierra Madre be fixed and established at the sum of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) per month, effective April 15, 1952, such salary to be in full compensation for all duties and services performed by law or by direction of said City Council or by any ordinance of said City?

Dated: March 4, 1952
L. MARIE WARFEL
City Clerk
3-6-13

EXHIBIT SHOWS REPTILE AGE IN CALIFORNIA

"The Age of Reptiles in California," a selection of bones of dinosaurs and sea serpents from Fresno County, is on featured display this month in the south mezzanine of the Los Angeles County Museum in Exposition Park.

The collection, on loan from the California Institute of Technology, serves as an informative addition to the museum's series of exhibits dealing with prehistoric life in California.

The William B. Pitts Collection of semi-precious stones continues on exhibit in the Mineral Hall through April 30.

Legal Notice

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that a regular municipal election will be held in the City of Sierra Madre on Tuesday, the 8th day of April, 1952, for the following offices: City Clerk, City Treasurer and two (2) members of the City Council of said City of Sierra Madre, each to hold office for the full term or period of four (4) years from and after the 15th day of April, 1952. The following measures or propositions will be submitted at the election:

PROPOSITION 1: Shall the requirement of the proposition approved and adopted at the municipal election held April 9, 1946, authorizing the levy of a special tax for the construction of a public library which provided that the fund thus raised be used only for construction of a library at the northwest corner of Sierra Madre Boulevard and Hermosa Avenue be eliminated and the Sierra Madre Library Board be authorized in its discretion to employ such fund for either the construction of a new library at the northwest corner of Sierra Madre Boulevard and Hermosa Avenue, or the construction or re-construction of library facilities at the present library site, 442 West Sierra Madre Boulevard, Sierra Madre, California?

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There will be seven (7) voting precincts for the purpose of holding the election consisting of a consolidation of the election precincts established for holding state and county election as follows:

Voting Precinct A, comprising state and county precincts Nos. 7 and 11, and the polling place shall be at the Bath House, Canyon Pool, 544 Woodland Drive.

OFFICERS OF ELECTION
Inspector: Mrs. Alberta Worthington

Judge: Mrs. Leola Lyon
Clerks: Mrs. Florence C. Bowers, Mrs. Cora O. Erb

Voting Precinct B, comprising state and county precincts Nos. 2, 10 and 11, and the polling place shall be at the Park House, Hermosa Avenue and Sierra Madre Boulevard.

OFFICERS OF ELECTION
Inspector: Miss Elizabeth Steinberger

Judge: Mrs. Irene Askew
Clerks: Mrs. Gertrude C. Behrens, Mrs. Madeline C. Smith

Voting Precinct C, comprising state and county precincts Nos. 1 and 12, and the polling place shall be at the residence at 409 West Grandview Avenue.

OFFICERS OF ELECTION
Inspector: Mrs. Kathleen E. Vangen

Judge: Mrs. Mable A. Toothaker
Clerks: Mrs. Aileen M. Leffler, Mrs. Harriett Merritt

Voting Precinct D, comprising state and county precincts Nos. 4 and 9, and the polling place shall be at the City Hall, 55 West Sierra Madre Boulevard.

OFFICERS OF ELECTION
Inspector: Mrs. Maybelle C. Barker

Judge: Mrs. Ruby K. Simmons.
Clerks: Mrs. Annunziata H. Twedell, Mrs. Juanita E. Caskey

Voting Precinct E, comprising state and county precincts Nos. 3 and 14, and the polling place shall be the residence at 111 East Highland Avenue.

OFFICERS OF ELECTION
Inspector: Mrs. Martha S. Perry

Judge: Mrs. Ruth Pickett
Clerks: Mrs. Cleo E. Schweppe, Mr. Frank O. Larson

Voting Precinct F, comprising state and county precincts Nos. 8 and 5, and the polling place shall be the Masonic Temple, 33 East Sierra Madre Boulevard.

OFFICERS OF ELECTION
Inspector: Mrs. Marian E. Lees

Judge: Mrs. Inez Miller
Clerks: Mrs. Tillie L. Froehlich, Mrs. Margaret W. Senour

Voting Precinct G, comprising state and county precincts Nos. 6 and 13, and the polling place shall be the residence at 102 North Mountain Trail.

OFFICERS OF ELECTION
Inspector: Mrs. Norah M. Flynn

Judge: Mrs. Mary Richards
Clerks: Mrs. Joyce E. LaLone, Mrs. Florence D. Hebert

The polls will be open continuously from 7:00 o'clock A. M. until 7:00 o'clock P. M.

Dated March 4, 1952
L. MARIE WARFEL
City Clerk
3-6-13

CAMPFIRE GIRLS
From page one

group. Mrs. Wilcox said two Campfire units in the Hastings Ranch have been invited to participate. Girls, wearing full-dress uniforms, will assemble in front of the church at 10:45 a.m.

In observance of Campfire Girls Week, the office window of Harry Lange is featuring a display of craft projects and Campfire lore.

Woman Shopper
Hurt in Fall

Mrs. Myrtle Winnie of Montrose suffered a possible fracture of the hip Tuesday afternoon when she fell down in front of Hartman's Pharmacy, 29 N. Baldwin.

Mrs. Winnie had been shopping with a close friend, Mrs. Thomas Flynn, 102 N. Mountain Trail. She was treated at Sierra Madre Hospital.

Mrs. Murray
Dies at 95

Mrs. Susan Edith Murray, 95, died Friday, March 7, ending a residency in Sierra Madre of 32 years.

Mrs. Murray, a member of the Church of the Ascension, made her home with Mrs. Besie L. Costetti, 88 W. Grandview.

A native of Ireland, she came to the United States 63 years ago. Her husband, the late William Henry Murray, was with the British Consulate in Seattle, Wash., for 25 years before his death in 1917.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at 11 a.m. at the Church of the Ascension, the Rev. Harley Gibbs Smith Jr. officiating. Private committal was at Pasadena Mausoleum. Mrs. Murray leaves no immediate relatives.

CIVIC CLUB
MEETS TONIGHT

Reports from the nominating committee will feature this evening's meeting of the Civic Club, 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Dan Parker, 175A E. Sierra Madre boulevard, Mrs. Bryce Tyler will be co-hostess.

On Saturday night, a family pot-luck dinner is planned for 7 p.m. at the city park-house. Mrs. Parker will be in charge.

Hospital Guild

The Children's Hospital Guild will hold its meeting Wednesday, March 19, at the home of Robert Summers, 3721 Grayburn Rd., Chapman Woods.

Members are making baby jackets for the Children's Hospital.

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planning for an aging parent. These are just three of the countless problems undertaken by the Family Service since its founding on Feb. 16, 1942.

The agency grew out of a specific recommendation made by Dr. E. A. Cottrell in his "1940 Pasadena Social Agencies Survey." It is underwritten by the Pasadena Community Chest.

People receiving the counseling service pay all the fee or as much as they can.

Next week the NEWS will discuss how much the service would cost if it were made available in Sierra Madre.

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in 26 countries. He covered the Kaesong Peace Conference and came back to the United States with first-hand eye-witness reports from the world's "hot spots."

Among his "firsts" in reporting was the Harpers Magazine articles of March, 1942, on "The Commandos." To get this information, Mr. Thomas lived with the Commandos and accompanied them on several cross-channel raids.

The correspondent covered World War II from the early London bombings to the Allied invasion of Europe. He was the only civilian lecturer accredited to witness the Bikini atom bomb tests, and also inspected the results of both atom bombs that fell on Japan. In 1947, he was the first lecturer in 15 years to bring an "I Was There" report on Franco's Spain.

Mrs. E. W. Beutler, Woman's Club president, will introduce the speaker. She said all Sierra Madreans are invited to the program.

Dr. Lasell
To Speak
At Nursery

Dr. Sidney Lasell will be guest speaker at the next regular meeting of the Sierra Madre Community Nursery School Association on Tuesday, March 18, 8 p.m., at the Nursery School building, 701 E. Sierra Madre boulevard.

Dr. Lasell, a practicing pediatrician in Pasadena and research fellow at Children's Hospital, Los Angeles, will speak on "Understanding Children's Emotional Behavior" to help parents understand the relationship of emotional disturbances to physical illnesses, to recognize hidden fears and hostilities, and to determine how to handle food refusals and eating problems.

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loading. Besides this type which is used only for water wells, Mr. Hanson said his company also has developed a camera that can be used in oil wells. The cameras are lowered into wells and can take pictures both above and below the surface of the water or oil.

Woman's Auxiliary

Woman's Auxiliary of the Ascension Church will meet this evening, March 13, 7:30 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Roy Arnold, 80 W. Orange Grove. Sixth grade pupils of the Parish Day School will present a program on "Brazil." The auxiliary invites parents of the school children, and all women of the parish to attend.

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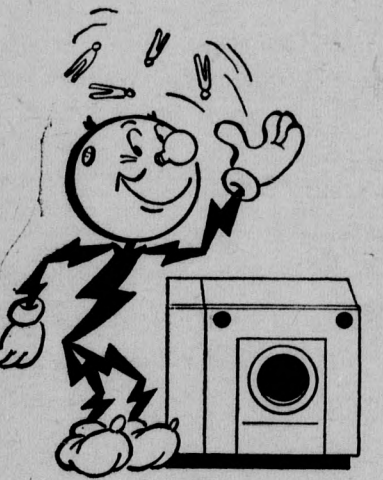
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